Overcoming Inferiority: Rising Above Comparison with the Other Class Girl.

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I often found myself doubting the sincerity of my friendships in front of Jesus. I questioned whether my friends truly cared for me or if their kindness was merely born out of sympathy. This doubt stemmed from witnessing the experience of another student, who harbored feelings for a classmate and shared a close bond with them. Unfortunately, the classmate made it clear that they would distance themselves after school. This incident made me fear that a similar fate awaited me, causing me to question the authenticity of my own friendships.

Embracing my own reality as a person with a disability, I had otherwise been content with my life. However, occasional reminders would surface, challenging my sense of contentment. Witnessing the struggles of the same girl from earlier in a different context, when a remark was made about her in class, ignited a fear within me. I worried that such situations could arise at any moment in my own life. Consequently, I never sought close relationships with teachers, even though I held them in high regard. I preferred to maintain a certain distance, as I didn't want to hear any unexpected or hurtful words from them. Perhaps this fear originated from my experiences at VBM Impact.

Amidst these doubts and fears, I continued to pray to God, fervently hoping for the day when I would be able to walk. I believed that no one could truly understand me or make me happy except for God. My life held two intertwined dreams: one was to pursue my studies, establish a successful career, and live as a normal girl; the other was to follow God's plan for my life and surrender to His guidance wherever it may lead me.